AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Replace the paragraph beginning on page 2 line 16 with the following paragraph:

--Additional features and advantages of the invention ensue from the following description of a preferred embodiment and from the appended drawings, to which reference is made. The drawings show the following:

Figure 1 - a perspective view of an electrical turn/pull switch according to the invention in a preferred embodiment;

Figure 2 - a perspective view of a contact carrier with contact elements of the turn/pull switch according to the invention of Figure 1;

Figure 3 -a perspective view of ~~the contact elements of Figure 2 and~~ a printed circuit board on which contact paths that interact with the contact elements are laid out.--

Replace the paragraph beginning on page 4 line 5 with the following paragraph:

--Referring to Figure 2, the carrier plate 20 and actuator 16 are coupled together for joint rotational movement when the ramp 18 of actuator 16 is located in the aperture 50 of the carrier plate 20. The actuator 16 moves axially relative to the carrier plate 20 through the aperture 50. The carrier plate 20 is supported by the housing 12. When the turn/pull button 14 is rotated, the contact carrier plate 20, together with the contact elements 22, 24 and 26 that are attached to it, moves relative to the printed circuit board 28. As a result, the contact pairs 22a, 22b of the turn switch

function, which are in contact with the printed circuit board, as well as the contact surfaces 24c, 26c of the contact pairs 24b, 26b of the axial switch function, slide on the printed circuit board. Depending on the rotational position of the turn/pull switch, either the contact pair 22a or the contact pair 22b can be in contact with one of the sliding paths 30 of the printed circuit board 28. In this way, the contact pairs 22a, 22b create a conductive connection between the sliding paths that are correspondingly contacted by the contact pairs 22a, 22b. Depending on which of the sliding paths 30 are bridged, the various types of vehicle lighting that can be operated by means of the turn switch function are then activated.--